

In this information age, the FCC's responsibilities to the American people are more critical than ever.

The airwaves belong to the people, and the FCC is the agent of the people in regulating use of the airwaves.

Unfortunately, due to recent media consolidation, the airwaves are in danger of being taken over by well-financed private groups that are more concerned with their own private interests than they are with their role in the democratic process.

In particular, the FCC must prevent Sinclair Broadcasting from forcing their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary, furthering the cause of the Bush re-election campaign, unless they also air programs that further the cause of other Presidential candidates. To allow otherwise is an abuse of the public trust.

This matter demands your immediate attention and action. Thank you.